--- "Series of 1880-81" - TOBACCO - Quebec Division - 3rd BABN Contract (1878-1886) ---

--- With *W. H. Entry No. ..... / G. La Rue* **in the central panel - 238 x 20 mm ---**

Chris Ryan reports that *G. La Rue* replaced *J. E. Fortier* as Collector at Quebec on February 16th 1878.

John McKay records that 385,670 *lithographed* copies of 1-5th "Red Tobacco" were 'Delivered' under the **3rd BABN Contract** (1878-1886). He has grouped the 1880-81 Division "Open" and Division "Specific" stamps.

McKay further records that 83,591 *lithographed* copies of 1/5 lb. "Red Ribbon Tobacco" were 'Delivered' under the **4th BABN Contract** (1886-1892), which was mostly reserved for *obsolete* BABN production 'Delivered' to the Department in February / March 1888. As of July 1st 1883, all red warehousing strips had been declared *obsolete*.

3rd BABN Contract (1878-1886) -	385,670
4th BABN Contract (1886-1892) -	83,591
	469,261

The final 'upper-limit' control number on the 1/5th pound red TOBACCO strips - as collected to date

Division Open	**015065**
Hamilton Division	**016551**
Montreal Division	**173206**
Quebec Division	**019106**
Toronto Division	**019798**
Windsor Division	**043018**
Windsor Division - G 33	**100696**
	387,440

The catalogue lists the 1/5th pound, red, Quebec Division, TOBACCO warehousing strip as follows:

RP-195 - 1/5th pound, red, perforated 12, Quebec Division, on *block wmkd* vertical mesh wove - 4 mm. blue controls

RP-195n - 1/5th pound, red, perforated 12, Quebec Division, *without* control numbering,
Lithographed on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove paper

The following *imperforate* strip is a remnant, probably residue from the second TOBACCO section of the **4th BABN Contract**. It has been scissor-clipped from an unfinished imperforate sheet. Since it was not a production item, I feel that it is preferable to simply list it without a catalogue number.

1/5th pound, red, *imperforate*, Quebec Division, *without* control numbering,
Lithographed on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove paper

--- RP-195 - *perforated 12* - on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove - 4 mm. blue controls - scanned at 67% scale ---

RP-195 - 1/5th pound, red, perforated 12, Quebec Division, control number **010691**,
Lithographed on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove paper

000011	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
000014	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
000024	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
000053	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003504	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003507	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003521	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003533	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003543	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003591	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003615	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003618	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003627	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003635	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003647	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003648-54★	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh - a sheet of seven
003638	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003656	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003658	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003662	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003663	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003680	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003689	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003690	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003700	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003724	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003727★	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003728	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003744	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003757	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003766	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003775	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003776	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003783	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
003785	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh

RP-195 - 1/5th pound, red, perforated 12, Quebec Division, control number **010054**,
Lithographed on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove paper,
Stamped **CANCELLED** in 3 mm. violet Gothic letters - a suspect CP strip

010054★	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh, stamped **CANCELLED** - suspect
010056	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010088	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010097	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010084	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh

010686	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010691★	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010696	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010701	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010703★	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010732	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010737	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010738	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010768	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
010779	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
013684	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
013867	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
013894	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
013895	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
014296	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
018598	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
018740	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
019069	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
019072	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
019088	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
019104	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh
019106	RP-195	1/5th pound, perforated 12, block watermarked vertical mesh

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